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the SS ARLAN had either departed or was about to depart from Beirut on its way to Antwerp with a consignment of 1,130 iron drums containing 470,104 metric tons of copper scrap. The consignment was dispatched by one Amador López Gómez and was insured on 4 July 1961 for \$542,420.00 in favor of one José María Larranaga of Madrid. The company issuing the policy was La Unión y el Fénix Español of Madrid. It was revealed that the ultimate destination of the scrap is Vienna, in care of an unidentified purchaser t etc.

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Comment: No indication has been received that the scrap is to be delivered to the eastern bloc, but since a strong possibility exists that a transshipment deal is envisioned, it was considered advisable to place this transaction on record.

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